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TAGS: PDIP, CH, LA

SUBJECT: NEW LAO AMBASSADOR TO THE PRC

REF: DAO IR 6856 0181 75 (NOTAL)

1. THE PARTY NEWSPAPER "SIENG PASASON" REPORTED ON FEBRUARY 23, 1976 THAT THAVONE SICHALEUNE HAD BEEN APPOINTED AMBASSADOR OF THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF LAOS TO THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA.

2. COMMENT: WE HAVE NO INFORMATION ON THAVONE'S PARTY POSITION. HE IS, HOWEVER, AN ARMY GENERAL AND A DEPUTY COMMANDER OF THE LAO PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY AS WELL AS A MEMBER OF THE LAO PATRIOTIC FRONT CENTRAL COMMITTEE.
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